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E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: PINS, EG
SUBJECT: CONVERSATION WITH EGYPTIAN MINISTER

1. EGYPTIAN MINISTER EL-IBRASHI TOOK INITIATIVE TO CALL ON POLITICAL COUNSELOR MARCH 23, HAVING IN HAND USIS BULLETIN TEXTS CARRYING RECENT PRESIDENTIAL STATEMENTS ON THE MIDDLE EAST. HE SAID HE WAS INTERESTED IN CLARIFICATION ABOUT "NEW POINTS" IN THE STATEMENTS. POLITICAL COUNSELOR EXPLAINED THAT HE HAD AVAILABLE NO INFORMATION OTHER THAN THAT FOUND IN THE STATEMENTS AND PRESS, AND EMPHASIZED THAT HE WAS NOT IN A POSITION TO INTERPRET OR ELABORATE IN ANY WAY UPON THE STATEMENTS.

2. EL-EBRASHI FISHED FOR WHETHER THE MISSION MIGHT HAVE RECEIVED SIGNALS TO BEGIN PREPARATIONS FOR A GENEVA CONFERENCE, WONDERED IF THE MISSION WOULD BE LIKELY TO RECEIVE ADVANCE SIGNALS, AND ASKED QUITE CANDIDLY WHETHER IN THAT CASE THE MISSION WOULD BE ABLE TO ALERT HIM. HE WAS GIVEN NO SATISFACTION ON THIS KLC DID NOT PURSUE IT.

3. POLITICAL COUNSELOR USED OCCASION TO CONVEY RESPONSE CONTAINED REFTEL TO THE FEBRUARY 2 APPROACH BY EGYPTIAN
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MISSION COUNSELOR MOKHTAR. HE ACCEPTED GRACEFULLY THIS RESPONSE AND ITS UNDERLYING RATIONALE. SORENSON

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